



LOCKS AND DAM 52

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Locks and Dam 52

Locks and Dam 52 is located on the Ohio River about 1.5 miles downstream of Brookport, Illinois, at mile 939 below Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The locks are located on the Illinois bank of the river.

The original structure of Locks and Dam 52 was completed in 1928. A temporary 1200-foot lock has been built at Lock 52 to handle the traffic that moves through the lower portion of the river.

This provisional structure provides relief to the typical traffic jam that previously occurred at the locks and dam. The Olmsted Locks and Dam project will include a permanent replacement to Locks and Dam 52 as well as Locks and Dam 53.



Quick Facts

2012 Commercial Cargo Lockages: 8,490. National Rank: 11.

2012 Tonnage (in thousands): 91,413. National Rank: 1.

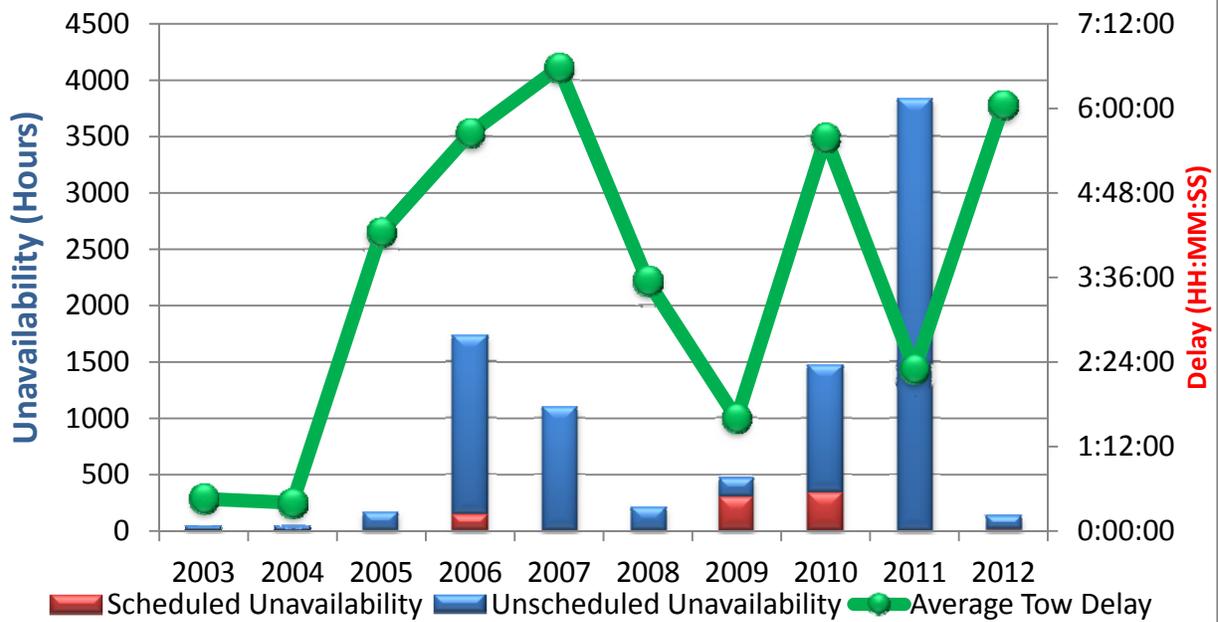
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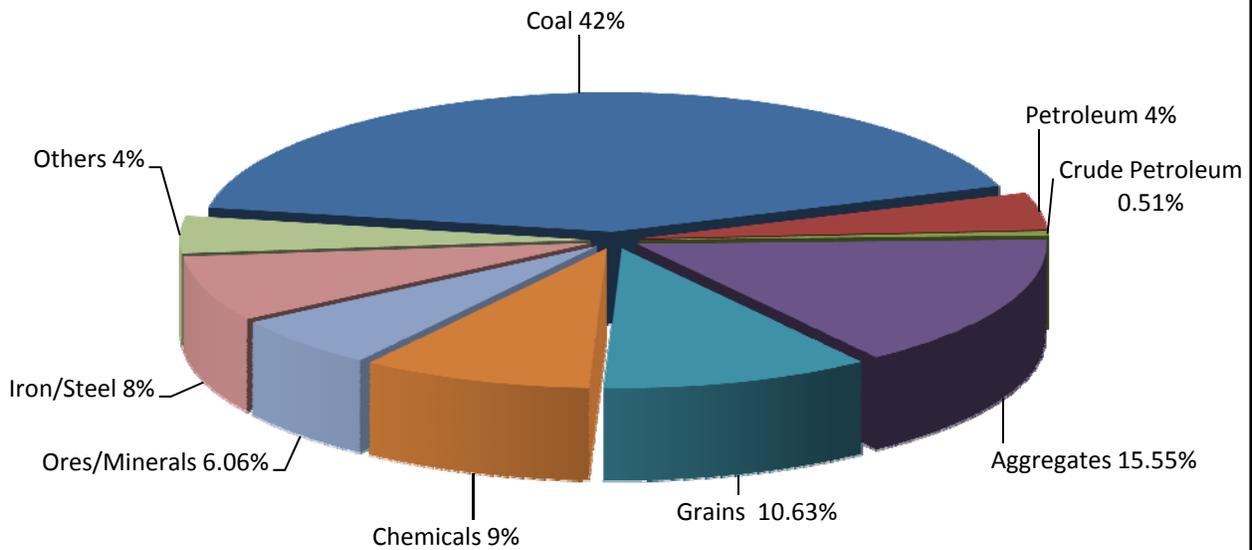
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Ohio River L&D 52 Unavailability and Delay



2012 Ohio River L&D 52 Commodity Distribution



Source: Lock Performance Monitoring System

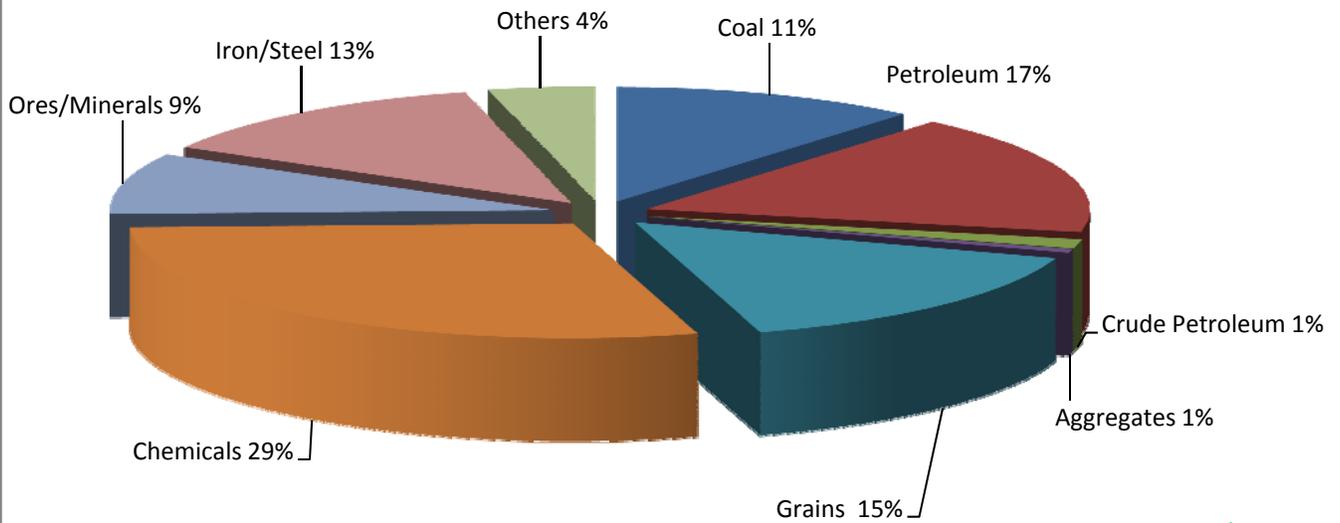
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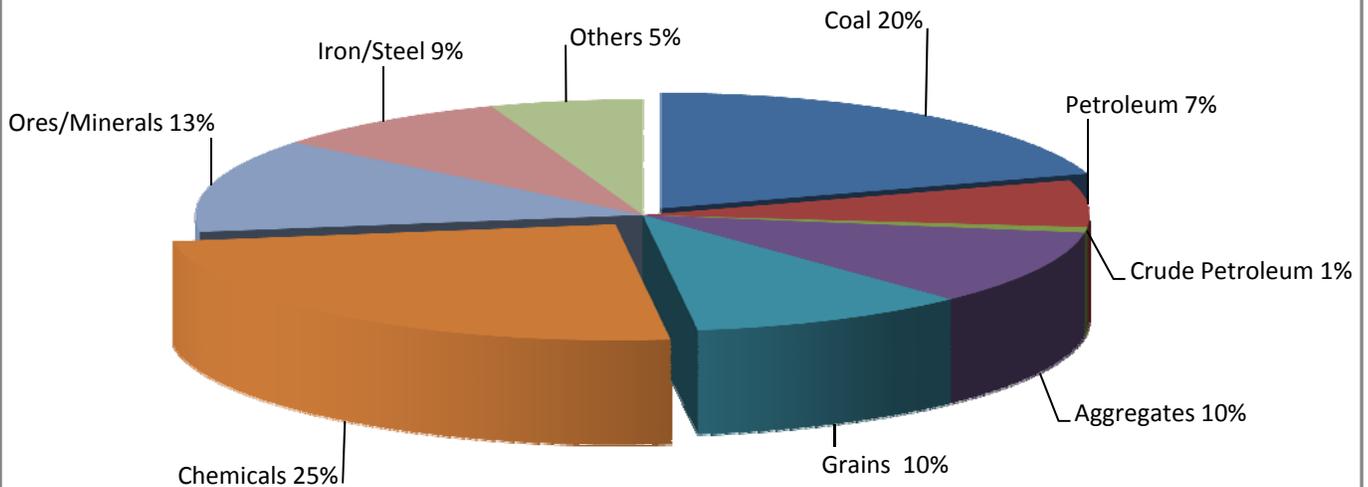
2012 Value of Commodities Through Ohio River L&D 52



Source: Lock Performance Monitoring System,
2012 NDSU Commodity Value Study

Total Value: \$21,566.5
(Value in Millions)

2012 Rate Savings Through Ohio River L&D 52



Source: Lock Performance Monitoring System,
2010 University of Tennessee Rate Savings Study

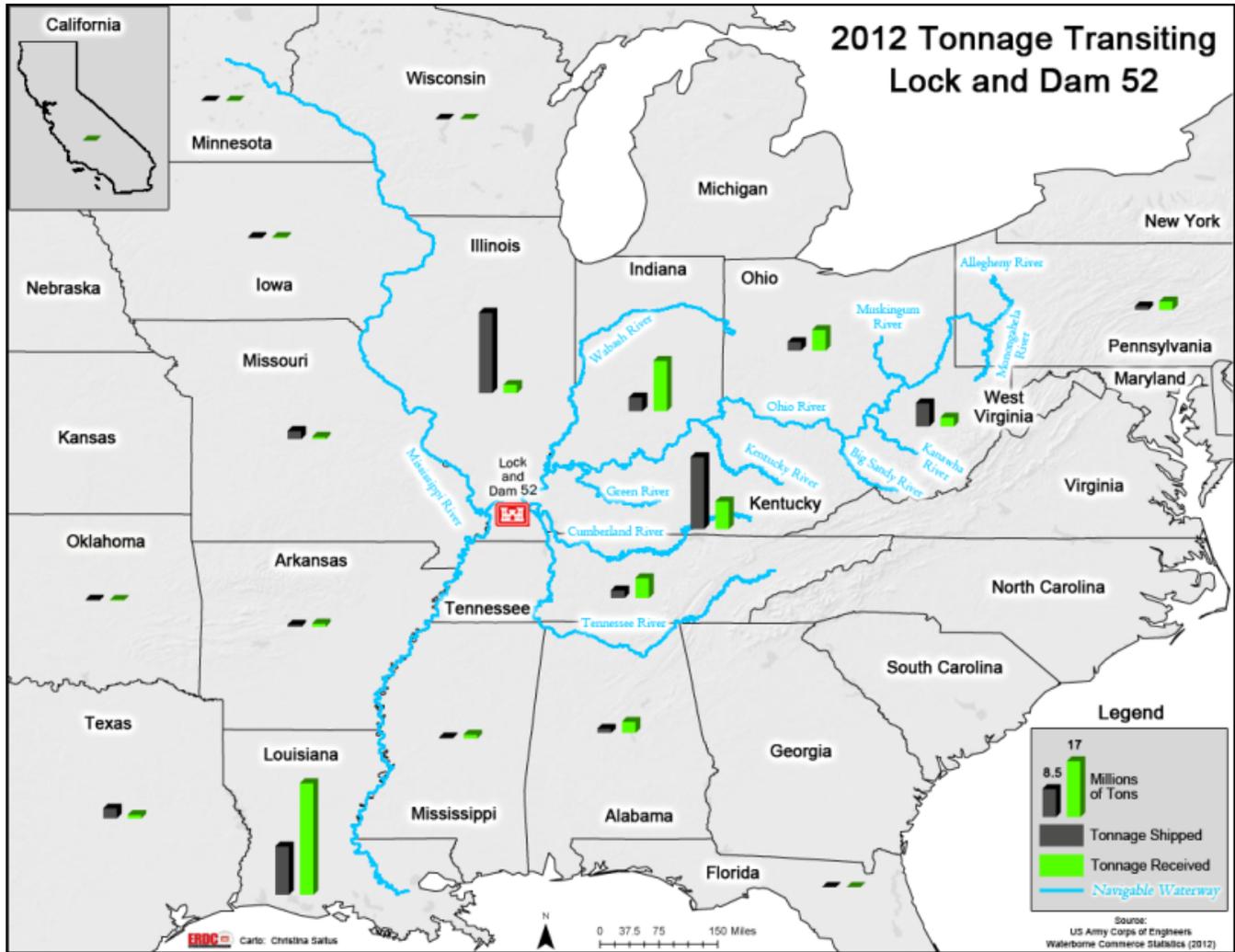
Total Rate Savings: \$1,670.7
(Value in Millions)

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